

Vital Statistics.

GOVERNMENT STATISTICIAN'S Report on the Vital Statistics of the Four Metropolitan Areas and of the Nine Suburban Areas of the Dominion for the Month of June, 1917:—

	Population, Census, 1916.	Total Births registered, June, 1917.	Proportion of Births to the 1,000 of Population.	DEATHS REGISTERED IN JUNE, 1917.						Total Deaths.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, June, 1917.
				Males.			Females.				
				Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.		
Auckland City	64,951	122	1.88	5	3	33	2	1	29	73	1.12
Remainder of Metropolitan Area ..	68,771	131	1.90	3	1	25	3	..	14	46	0.67
Total for Auckland Metropolitan Area	133,712	253	1.89	8	4	58	5	1	43	119	0.89
Wellington City	73,305	144	1.96	5	4	28	1	2	19	59	0.80
Remainder of Metropolitan Area ..	21,930	44	2.01	1	1	8	..	2	4	16	0.73
Total for Wellington Metropolitan Area	95,235	188	1.97	6	5	36	1	4	23	75	0.79
Christchurch City	54,925	111	2.02	1	..	27	4	..	31	63	1.15
Remainder of Metropolitan Area ..	37,808	71	1.88	4	1	16	1	1	18	41	1.08
Total for Christchurch Metropolitan Area	92,733	182	1.96	5	1	43	5	1	49	104	1.12
Dunedin City	55,256	100	1.81	3	..	36	1	1	23	64	1.16
Remainder of Metropolitan Area ..	13,460	30	2.23	..	1	2	..	1	5	9	0.67
Total for Dunedin Metropolitan Area	63,716	130	1.89	3	1	38	1	2	28	73	1.06
Gisborne Borough	9,174	24	2.62	1	..	2	..	..	2	5	0.55
Remainder of Suburban Area	3,486	8	2.29	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total for Gisborne Suburban Area	12,660	32	2.53	1	..	2	..	..	2	5	0.39
Napier Borough	12,704	22	1.73	1	..	3	1	..	3	8	0.63
Remainder of Suburban Area	2,427	2	0.82	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	0.41
Total for Napier Suburban Area	15,131	24	1.59	1	..	4	1	..	3	9	0.59
New Plymouth Borough	8,704	21	2.41	..	..	3	1	..	2	6	0.69
Remainder of Suburban Area	1,091	3	2.75	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total for New Plymouth Suburban Area	9,795	24	2.45	..	..	3	1	..	2	6	0.61
Wanganui Borough	14,380	30	2.09	4	..	5	1	1	2	13	0.90
Remainder of Suburban Area	5,137	9	1.75	1	..	2	..	1	1	5	0.97
Total for Wanganui Suburban Area	19,517	39	2.00	5	..	7	1	2	3	18	0.92
Palmerston North Borough	12,829	26	2.03	2	..	3	1	..	2	8	0.62
Remainder of Suburban Area	1,177	1	0.85	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	0.85
Total for Palmerston North Suburban Area	14,006	27	1.93	2	..	4	1	..	2	9	0.64
Nelson City	8,774	17	1.94	1	1	5	1	..	9	17	1.94
Remainder of Suburban Area	1,188	1	0.84	..	..	3	..	..	1	4	3.37
Total for Nelson Suburban Area	9,962	18	1.81	1	1	8	1	..	10	21	2.11
Greymouth Borough	4,863	8	1.65	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	0.21
Remainder of Suburban Area	3,510	10	2.85	..	..	1	..	..	1	2	0.57
Total for Grey Valley Boroughs Suburban Area	8,373	18	2.15	..	..	1	..	..	2	3	0.36
Timaru Borough	12,238	21	1.72	1	..	5	..	..	3	9	0.74
Remainder of Suburban Area	1,478	4	2.71	..	..	1	1	..	..	2	1.85
Total for Timaru Suburban Area	19,716	25	1.82	1	..	6	1	..	3	11	0.80
Invercargill Borough	14,154	29	2.05	4	..	7	1	..	3	15	1.06
Remainder of Suburban Area	3,708	4	1.08	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	0.27
Total for Invercargill Suburban Area	17,862	33	1.85	4	..	7	2	..	3	16	0.90
Grand Totals	511,418	993	1.94	37	12	217	20	10	173	469	0.92